



Day 1 - Tuesday, January 30, 2007

8:00 to 9:00 am	<u>Registration: Forum Hall Union</u>	
9:00 to 9:15 am	<u>Opening Comments:</u>	Chuck Banks, State Director; USDA Rural Development
9:15 to 10:00	<u>Conference Key Note Address:</u>	Thomas Dorr, Under Secretary, USDA Rural Development (invited)
10:00 to 10:45	<u>Potential for Individual, Small Business and Community Wind Projects:</u>	Larry Flowers, National Technical Director, Wind Powering America; National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL)
10:45 to 11:00 am	<u>Break - Outside Forum Hall Union</u>	
11:00 to 11:45 am	<u>Energy, Renewable Energy, & Bioenergy – Issues and Benefits:</u>	Richard Nelson, Director of Engineering Extension Programs, College of Engineering at Kansas State University
LUNCH	<u>On Your Own</u>	
1:00 to 1:30 pm	<u>Solar's Role for Renewable Energy:</u>	
	Speaker: Invited	
1:30 to 2:00 pm	<u>Progress of Renewable Energy in Kansas:</u>	Jim Ploger, Director; Kansas Energy Office
2:00 to 2:15	<u>Break - Outside Forum Union</u>	
2:15 to 3:15 pm	<u>Energy Efficiency Panel on Methods and Opportunities for Savings:</u>	
	Speaker:	Bruce Snead, State Extension Specialist in Energy and Indoor Air Quality
	Speaker:	Russ Rudy, FCIP Manager, Kansas Energy Office
	Speaker:	Gary Smith, Director, Business & Community Programs, USDA Rural Development
3:15 to 4:30	<u>Financial & Technical Resources to Help Develop a Project:</u>	
	Speaker:	Blue Skyways Collaborative and Environmental Protection Agency - Jim Yarbrough Topic: Supplemental Environmental Projects (SEP)
	Speaker:	Environmental Law and Policy Center - Charlie Kubert Topic: CREBS
	Speaker:	Kennedy and Coe, LLC - Donna Funk Topic: Tax Credits/Tax Deductions
	Speaker:	Kansas Department of Commerce - Corey Mohn Topic: State Programs
4:30 to 5:00 pm	<u>Q&A and Closing Comments</u>	: Q&A for all previous speakers (collected throughout the day)